

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-21 (Cancelled)

22. (New) A no-back device comprising first and second ratchet members connectable to a rotating member for rotation therewith and at least one pawl member, engageable with at least one of said ratchet members, wherein said first ratchet member is formed from a first material and the second ratchet member is formed from a second material, the first and second materials comprising different grades of a base material.

23. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 22, wherein the base material is steel.

24. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 23, wherein the first and second materials are subject to different treatment processes.

25. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 24, wherein the first and second materials comprise different carburized steel materials.

26. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 22, wherein said at least one pawl member is arranged to permit rotation of the first and second ratchet members in one direction but to substantially prevent rotation of at least one of the ratchet members in the opposite direction.

27. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 22, wherein the first and second ratchet members have respective interlocking means for interlocking said ratchet members together, thereby to prevent relative rotation therebetween.

28. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 27, wherein one of said ratchet members is provided with at least one projection on a surface thereof while the other ratchet member is provided with at least one corresponding indentation for engagement with said at least one projection.

29. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 22, wherein the no-back device includes two pawl members, each being engageable with at least one of the ratchet members.

30. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 29, wherein a first one of said pawl members is formed from a first material while a second one of said pawls is formed from a second material having at least one of different physical properties and different chemical properties from the first material.

31. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 30, wherein said pawl members are mounted to a fixed part of the no-back device by means of a spindle and the spindle of one pawl member is one of a different size and a different shape from that of the other pawl members.

32. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 22, wherein the first ratchet member is angularly offset from the second ratchet member in the direction of rotation such that only one of said ratchet members is initially engageable by said pawl member.

33. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 32, including a sensor for providing a warning signal that said pawl is co-operating with the second ratchet member.

34. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 33, wherein said sensor includes a strain gauge coacting with said second ratchet member.

35. (New) A no-back device as claimed in claim 33, wherein said sensor includes an electrical switch operable by said second ratchet member when said second ratchet member coacts with said pawl.